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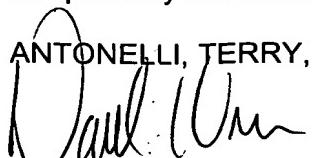
It is proposed that FIGS. 1, 2, 6, and 13 of the above-identified application be amended in accordance with the attached red-lined prints. Approval of these drawing corrections is respectfully requested.

Formal drawings will be filed upon receipt of the Notice of Allowability.

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FIG. 1 PRIOR ART

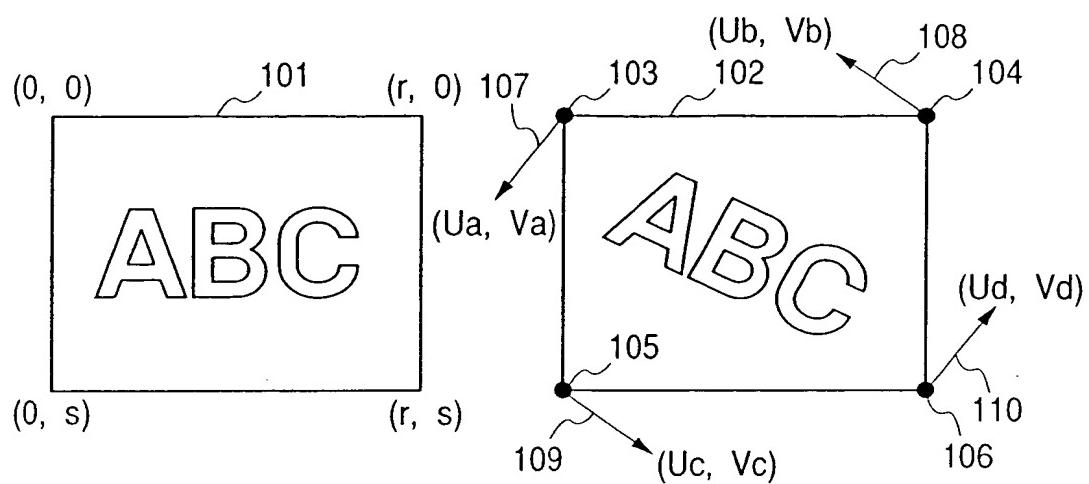


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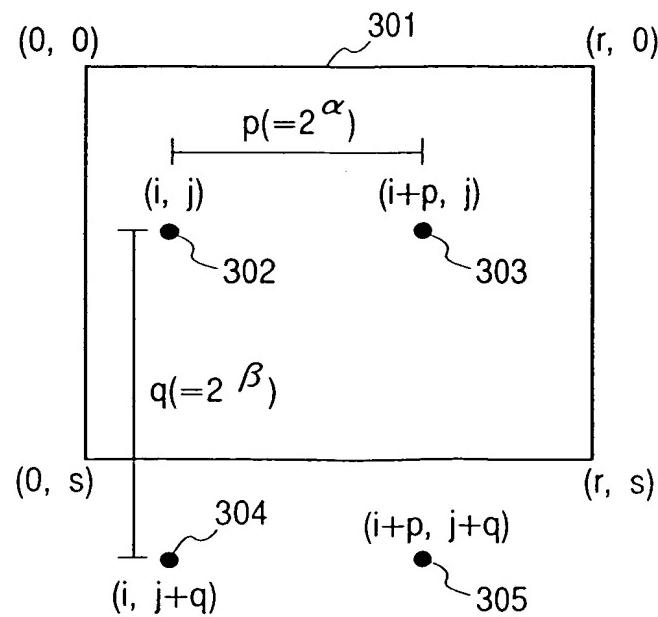


FIG. 2 PRIOR ART

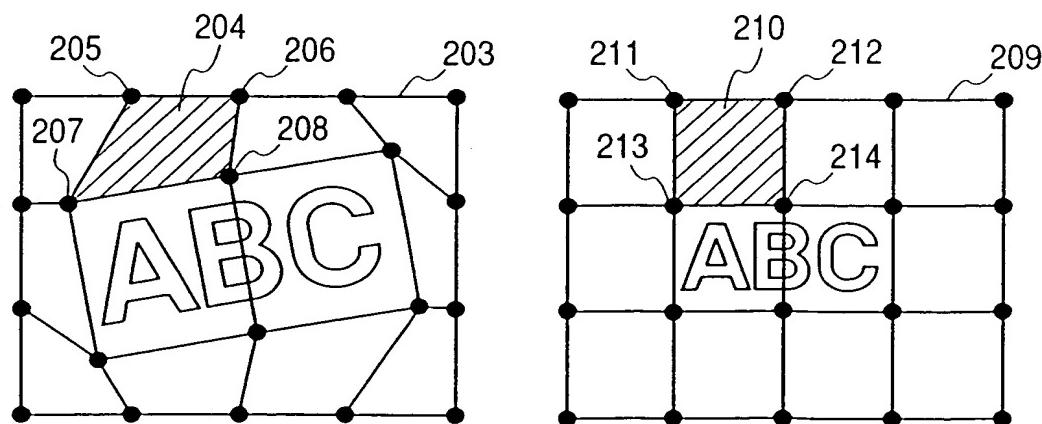
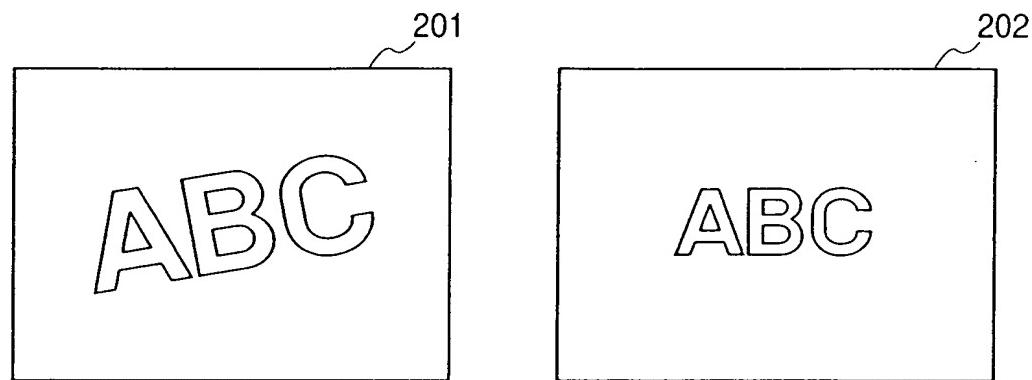


FIG. 6

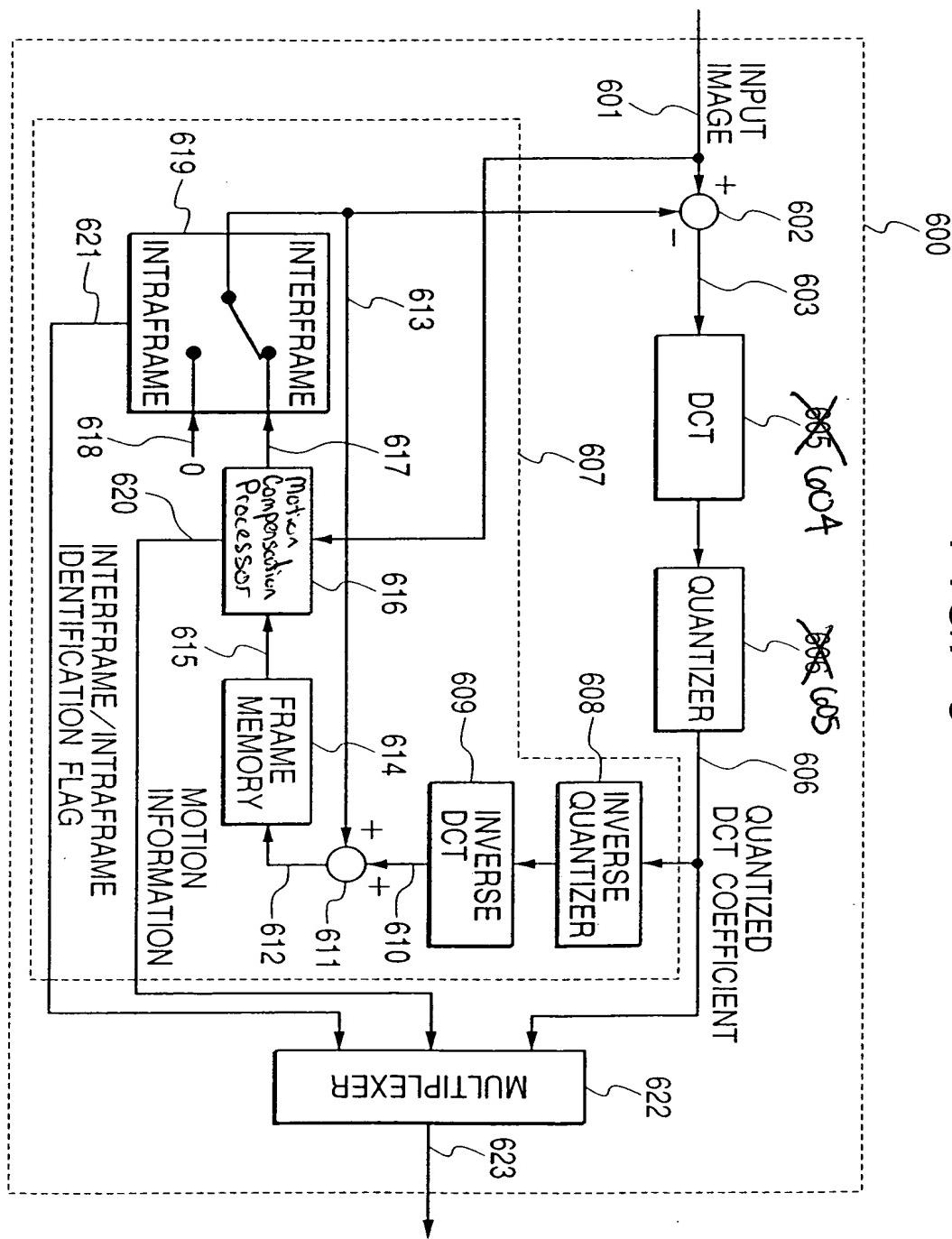


FIG. 13

